

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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<i>Art Unit:</i>	3733	}
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<i>Attorney</i>		}
<i>Docket No.:</i>	ZIM0090-02	}
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<i>Applicant:</i>	Jerry L. Aikins et al.	}
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<i>Invention:</i>	BLADE PLATE AND INSTRUMENTS	}
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<i>Examiner:</i>	James L. Swiger	}

LETTER

Mail Stop Issue Fee
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Submitted herewith is the Fee Transmittal.

Applicants respectfully request that the Issue Fees, Publication Fees, and Advance Order Copy Fees previously paid on July 26, 2005, totaling \$1745.00 be applied to the current issue fees due which now total \$1785.00, inclusive of the publication fee and 15 advance order copies at \$3.00 each. Please charge the additional amount owed of \$40.00 to Deposit Account No. 02-0385, Baker & Daniels LLP.

In the event Applicants have overlooked the need for an additional extension of time, payment of fee, or additional payment of fee, Applicants hereby petition therefore and authorize that any charges be made to Deposit Account No. 02-0385, Baker & Daniels LLP.

Respectfully submitted,


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